

**IN THE DRAWINGS:**

The attached sheets of drawings include changes to FIGs. 1-3. These sheets replace the original sheets that included FIGs. 1-3.

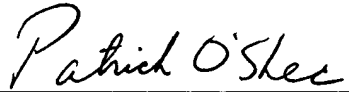
**REMARKS**

The specification and claims have been amended following the translation of the application from German to English. Claims 1-13 have been amended. Claims 14-20 have been added. Claims 1-20 remain for consideration. No new matter has been added.

Examination on the merits is respectfully requested.

If a telephone interview could assist in the prosecution of this application, please call the undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Patrick O'Shea". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above a horizontal line.

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